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Mr. Louis Di Bono
Mario & Di Bono Plastering Company, Inc.
370 Northern Boulevard
Great Neck, L.I.N.Y.

Subject: CAFCO BLAZE-SHIELD for World Trade Center - Having a Resistance to 3,000 Feet per Minute Air Velocity

Dear Louie:

As discussed with you verbally last week, we can provide you with CAFCO BLAZE-SHIELD for the above captioned project that will withstand 3,000 feet per minute air velocity for the critical areas on this project.

At this time, we do not want to say whether the BLAZE-SHIELD will have a sealer overspray or an overspray of some hard, high density material, because we would want to evaluate not only the performance of the material but also the practicality as it relates to cost and practical field installation. I am sure that you will be in agreement, in that, this material should be properly researched prior to proposal for the New York Port of Authority in acceptance for this very large job. At present, we have a number of oversprays that would functionally perform at the 3,000 feet per minute level and above. One of these or even perhaps a new formulation maybe more practical as it relates to the elevator shafts and other critical areas on the World Trade Center.

As soon as our Research Department has had some time to evaluate all the aspects of these various materials, we will then give you a complete definition as to type of material, cost and methods of application. You may be assured, however, that we can meet this specification without any difficulty.

Very truly yours,

UNITED STATES MINERAL PRODUCTS COMPANY

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